

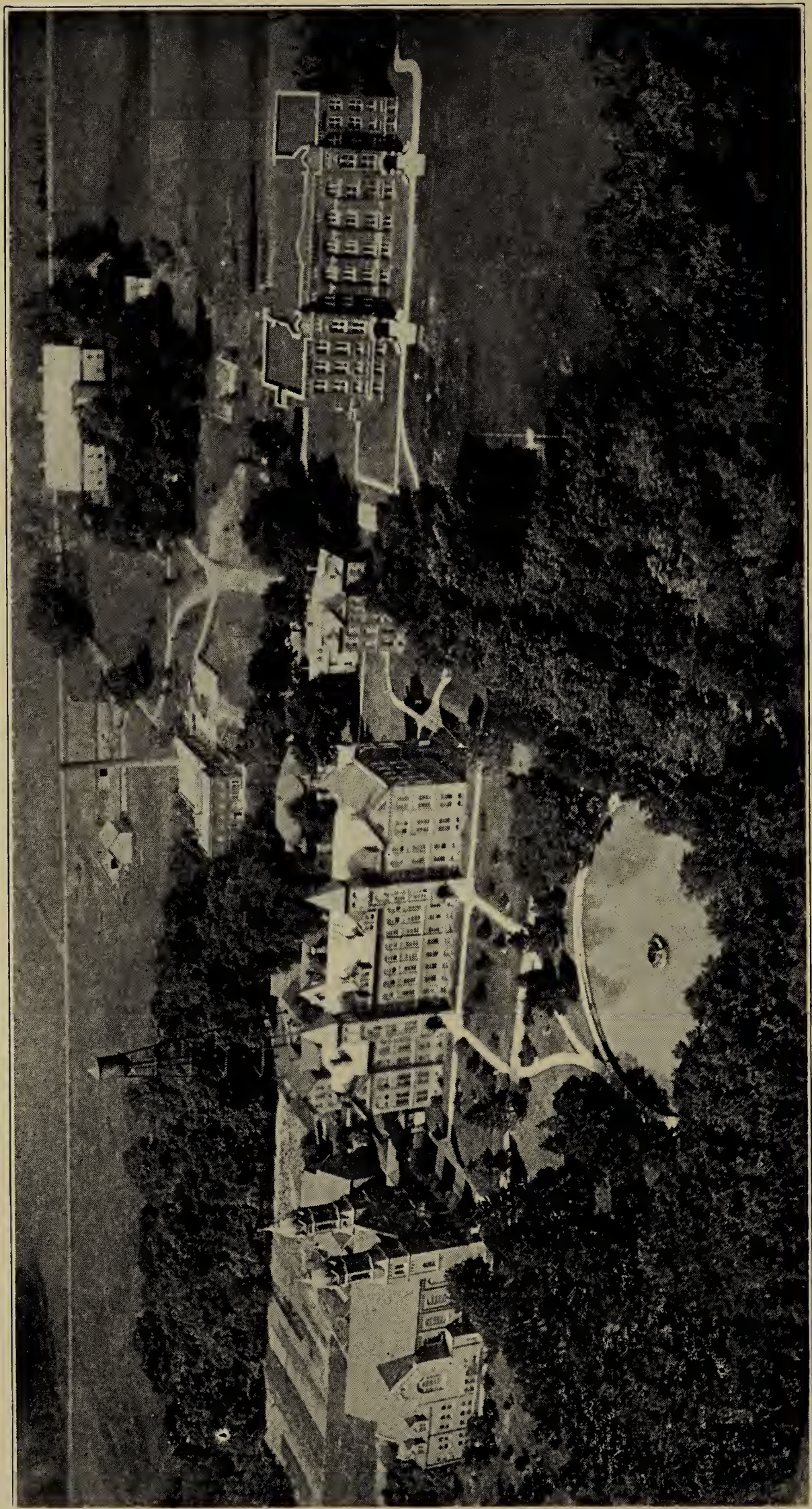
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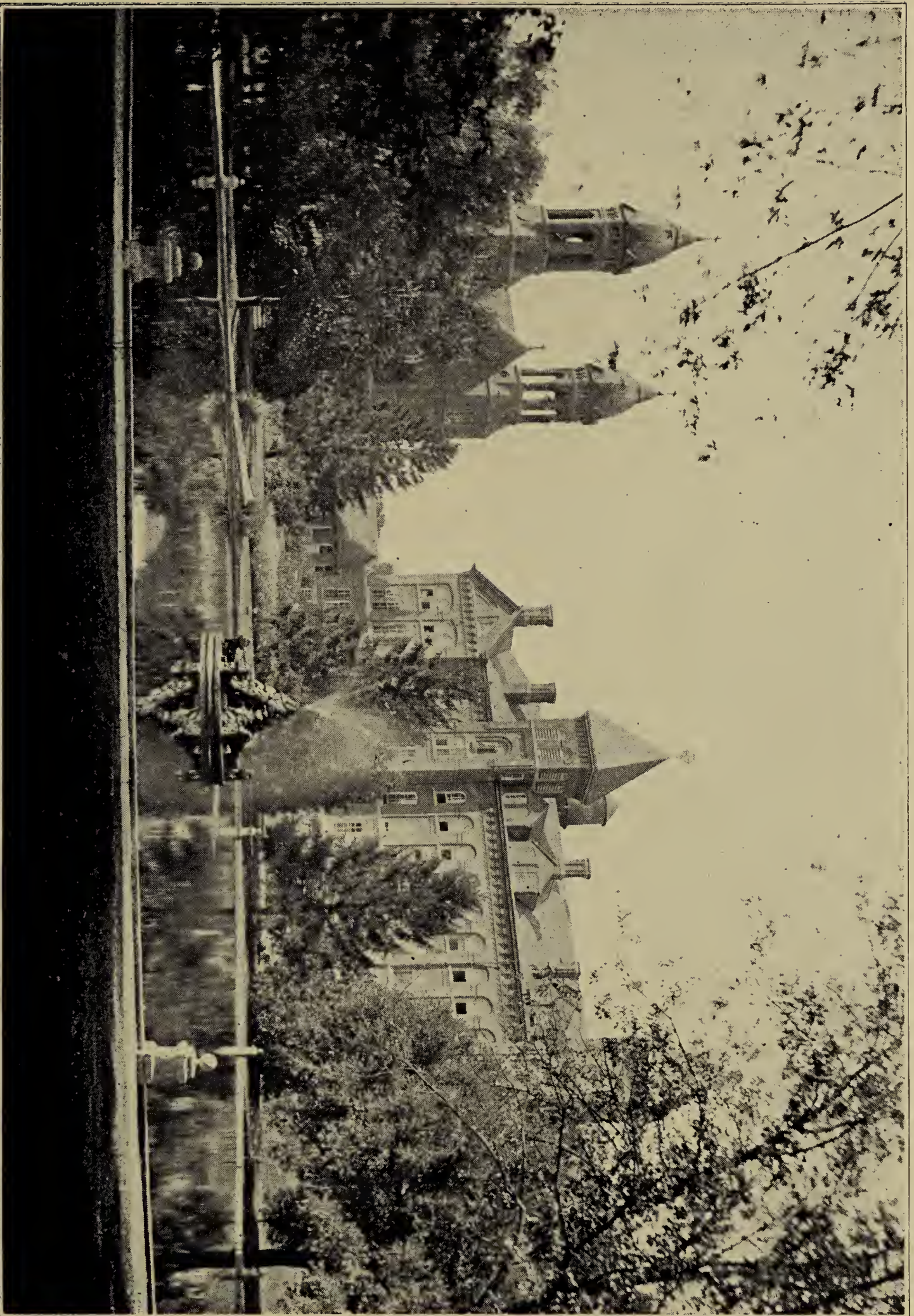
Collegeville, Indiana

Founded 1891





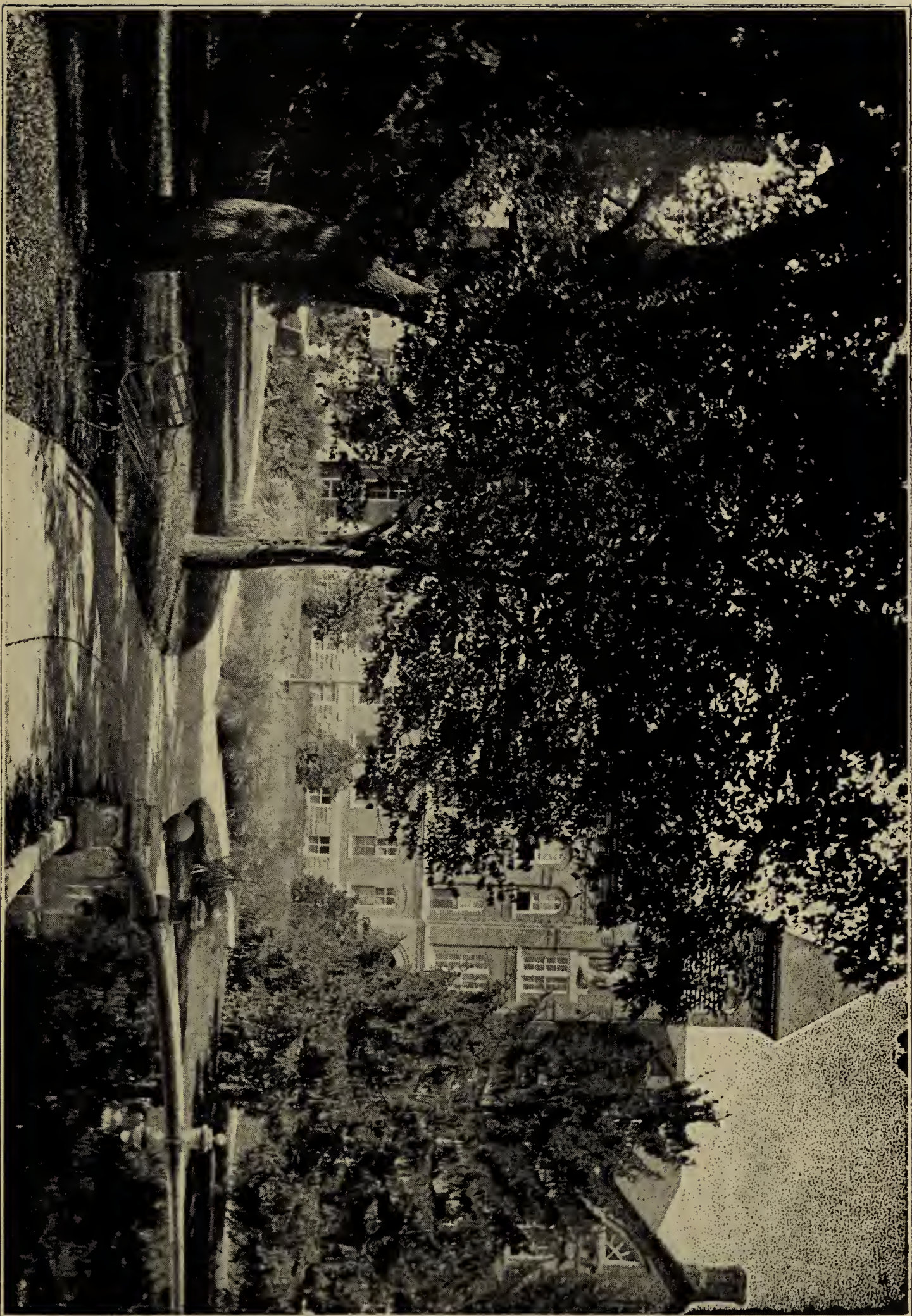
WINGING OVER COLLEGEVILLE



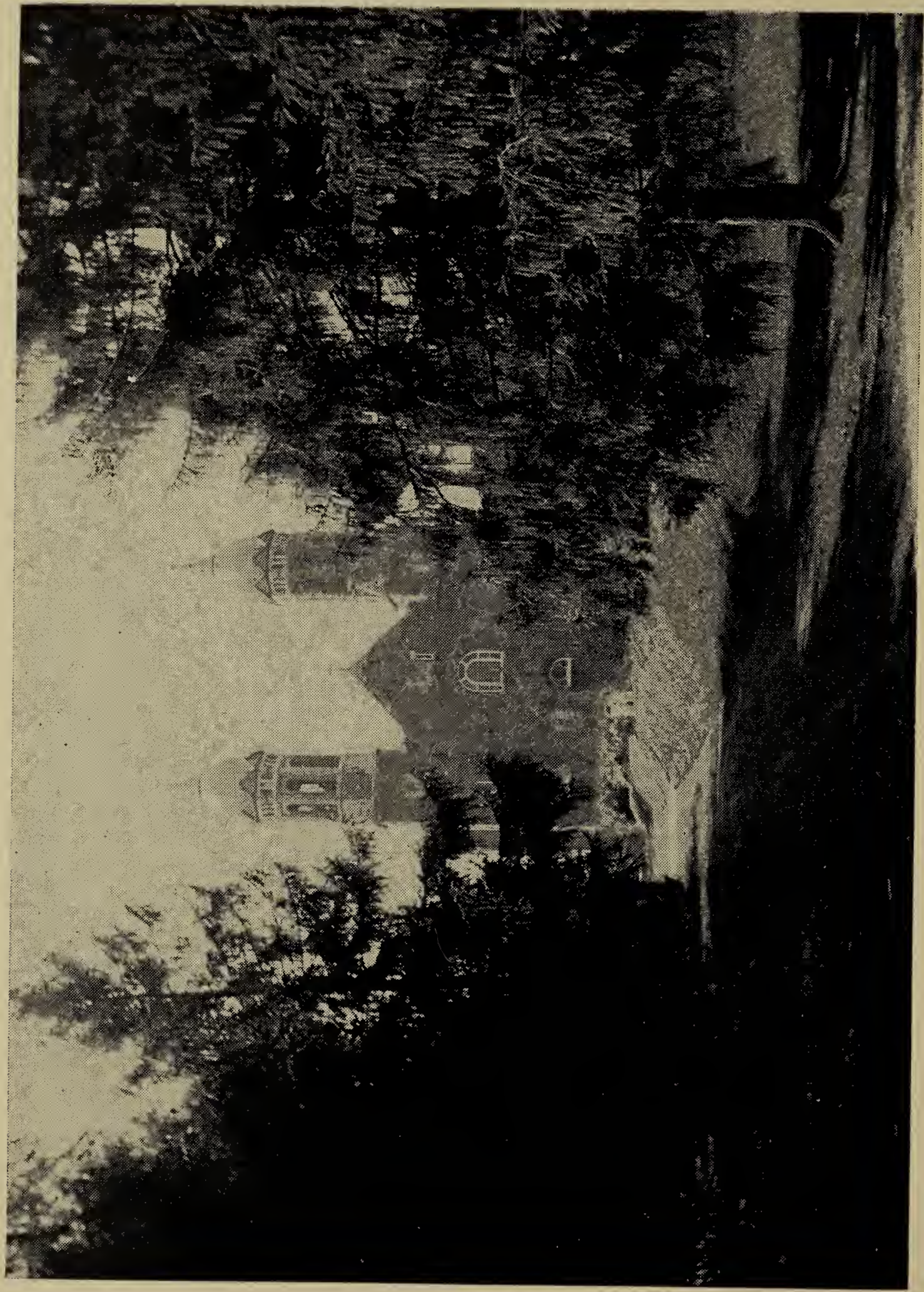
THE TOWERS ACROSS THE LAKE



IN THE SHADOW OF THE TOWER



A SHADY SPOT IN THE FRONT PARK



ALONG THE TERRACE TO THE CHAPEL



IN Catholic education religion plays an important part. The chapel services, therefore, are pivotal in the daily order of events at St. Joseph's. Daily the students hear Mass and in the evening attend Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. The chapel is a beautiful structure in which the student may find inspiration to devotion and prayer.





LAKE AND FOUNTAIN ADD BEAUTY TO THE SCENE.



NOONDAY SUNSHINE AND SHADOW



WHERE PARK AND FLOWER GARDEN MEET



THE LOURDES GROTTO INSPIRES TO PRAYER.



GOLDFISH POOLS IN THE EVERGREEN PARK



VISITORS find St. Joseph's very attractive. The several little parks, the lake and goldfish pools, the many kinds of trees, shrubs and flowers, the shaded walks, inviting vistas, and sequestered spots of restfulness — all appeal to the eye and satisfy the heart.





St. Joseph's College

A College of Liberal Arts

LOCATION: St. Joseph's College is located seventy-three miles south of Chicago, on the main line of the Chicago, Indianapolis, and Louisville (Monon) Railway, and on U. S. Highway No. 152. Having its own post office, its address for mail is Collegeville, Indiana; for express and freight, however, Rensselaer, Indiana. Rensselaer, the county seat of Jasper County, is a thriving city of over three thousand, which being but a short mile from the College is of easy access to its members.

HISTORY: St. Joseph's was founded as a Catholic high school and junior college in 1891. It is today maintained and governed by its founders, priests of the Society of the Precious Blood, a Community numbering in its American Province, about four hundred members, whose motherhouse is at St. Charles Seminary, Carthage, Ohio. The many alumni of St. Joseph's, resident mainly in Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, Kentucky, and surrounding states, are conspicuous by reason of character and ability and their success in various avocations. A considerable number are priests in the dioceses of the Middle West.

Having completed, as it were, a term or cycle of success as a junior college, St. Joseph's is at present being expanded into a full four-year college of liberal arts and sciences. The third or junior year is now offered, and the fourth or senior year, leading to A. B. and B. S. degrees, will be added in September 1937.

RATING: During the forty-five years of its existence the school has consistently held to high standards of scholarship and achievement. Both high school and junior college departments are accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. Furthermore, the high school holds the rating of a first class commissioned high school from the Indiana State Department of Public Instruction, while the college is on the approved list of junior colleges compiled by the Council of Medical Education of the American Medical Association.

FACULTY: The men on its faculty are members of the Society, who after their twelve years of intensive study leading to ordination have further prepared themselves in their respective fields of instruction by graduate study in over a dozen universities and special schools. Practically every one holds a Doctor or Master degree from the Catholic University of America.

STUDENTS: St. Joseph's was founded to offer educational opportunities to Catholic young men. The student body numbers about three hundred, coming from many states and studying for various vocations, but all are united by the common bond of Faith and the Christian character that is fostered by it. The College endeavors always to maintain high standards of intellectual and moral training, and to accept only such students as are willing to live according to these high standards. The close contact between the Faculty members and students is helpful in promoting student welfare, and the friendly fellowship that exists among all the students is an outstanding feature in the history of the institution.



IDEALS: The purpose of St. Joseph's College is to form of its students men of physical vigor, sound scholarship, and fine spiritual outlook. Physical vigor is built up through properly supervised participation in the many athletic activities offered by the school in the wholesome outdoors of the country. Sound scholarship is furthered both by supervision of study, and by careful instruction in the classroom, with personal aid outside the classroom to those in need of it. Spiritual outlook is fostered by the proper presentation of secular knowledge as affected by the divine teaching of the Church; furthermore, by the daily spiritual exercises of the students, their frequent reception of the sacraments, and advice given to them in sermons, lectures, and private talks.

CURRICULUM: The high school department offers three courses: the classical, the general academic, and the scientific. The College offers courses of two, three, or four years, as desired, preparatory to the study of law, dentistry, medicine, and journalism; also a course in business administration, besides the classical course with emphasis upon philosophy.

EQUIPMENT: More than sixty acres of the fifteen hundred owned by the College have been laid out in parks, groves, lawns, and campus of unusual attractiveness which invariably call forth praise from visitors and endears St. Joseph's to its students and alumni. The seven buildings directly serving the educational ends of the College are well furnished with modern conveniences; classroom and laboratories are spacious and provided with all equipment needed for first class care of the student and success in the pursuit of



knowledge. Three baseball diamonds and football fields, six clay tennis courts, cinder track, gymnasium, basketball floor, and club-rooms afford ample opportunity for recreation to all the students. In season many enjoy swimming in the outdoor pool on the grounds.

ENDOWMENT: St. Joseph's is proud of its endowment. This consists first of all in the gratuitously contributed services of all its instructors who are priests, and secondly in the Brothers of the Society, who dedicate their life service to humble but very useful employment on the College farms and to the general upkeep of the institutional equipment. Again, the kitchen and laundry are in charge of self-sacrificing Sisters of the Precious Blood. Finally, the fourteen hundred and more acres of farmland owned and cultivated by the College supply the greater part of the vegetables, fruits, meats, and dairy products consumed on the place, besides furnishing additional income. Only because of these forms of endowment is it possible for the College to offer its patrons the advantage of a trained Faculty and excellent equipment at a very nominal cost.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION concerning entrance requirements, courses of study, expenses, etc., write to the Dean of Studies, Collegeville, Indiana. This pictorial booklet is designed to give a general view of St. Joseph's, its equipment and activities. No such book or description, however, can do this adequately. Visitors are always welcome to inspect St. Joseph's, to gain a fuller appreciation of what it offers to prospective students. Why not pay the College a visit and see for yourself?





MUCH coveted is membership in the Monogram Club comprising varsity letter men and under the direction of the athletic coach.

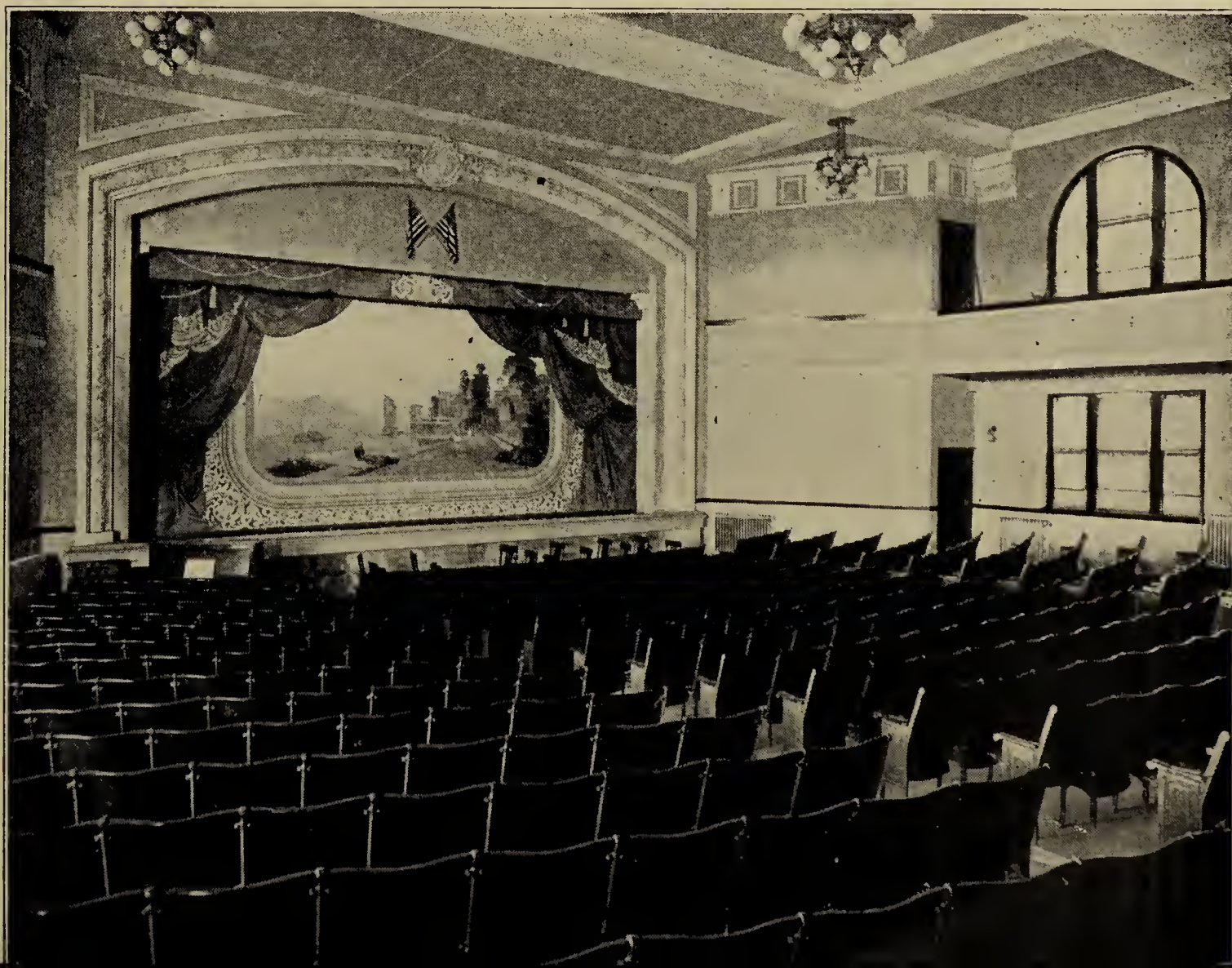
ANOTHER highly respected group is the staff of *The St. Joseph's Collegian*, which for several successive years has won First Class Honor Rating with Excellent, from the National Scholastic Press Association, and All Catholic Honor Rating from the Catholic School Press Association.





IN the well ordered and cataloged library of more than 18,000 volumes are books to meet many tastes and needs.

ALUMNI HALL, seating 750 persons, is splendidly equipped with a large stage, scenery, lighting system, etc. to permit the production of the best programs, by local talent as well as by outside entertainers.





THE NEWMAN CLUB is a literary society of high school seniors who learn by study and practice the rules of parliamentary procedure and of success on stage and rostrum.

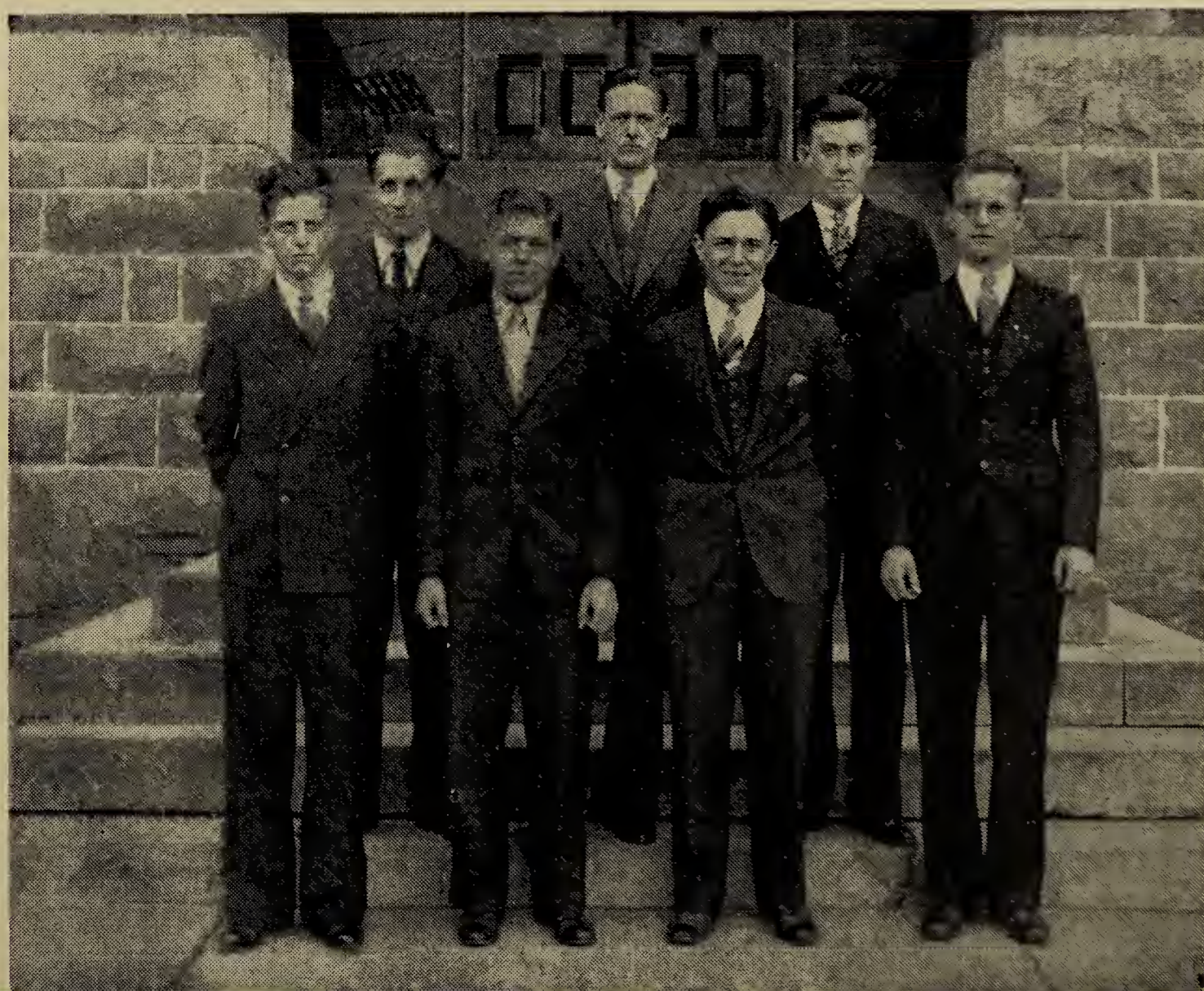
AN old and honorably known group of college students is the Columbian Literary Society, famed for its many excellent programs. The members, most of them "graduates" of the Newman Club, strive to perfect themselves in the arts of expression through the frequent presentation of programs featuring recitations, debates, orations, and plays.





THE officers of the Dwenger Mission Unit under the direction of a faculty supervisor are largely responsible for the enthusiasm that characterizes this St. Joseph's unit of the Catholic Students' Mission Crusade. Monthly meetings with discussion, lectures, and programs and the annual mission festival are among the society's activities.

THE *Chef D'Oeuvre* staff is an ambitious volunteer group which edits a monthly series of articles in French in mimeographed form, thus perfecting themselves in the knowledge and ready use of the language.





THE GLEE CLUB, under able direction of Professor Tonner, is a group of students whose melody and harmony add to the enjoyment of many an evening's entertainment.

DEVOTION is engendered and the solemnity of divine service enhanced by the excellence of the St. Joseph's choir, a selected group of voices carefully trained in the accents of sacred music.





UNDER competent direction, also, are both the orchestra and band, which through many years have been important sources of pleasure and inspiration to the students and friends of St. Joseph's.

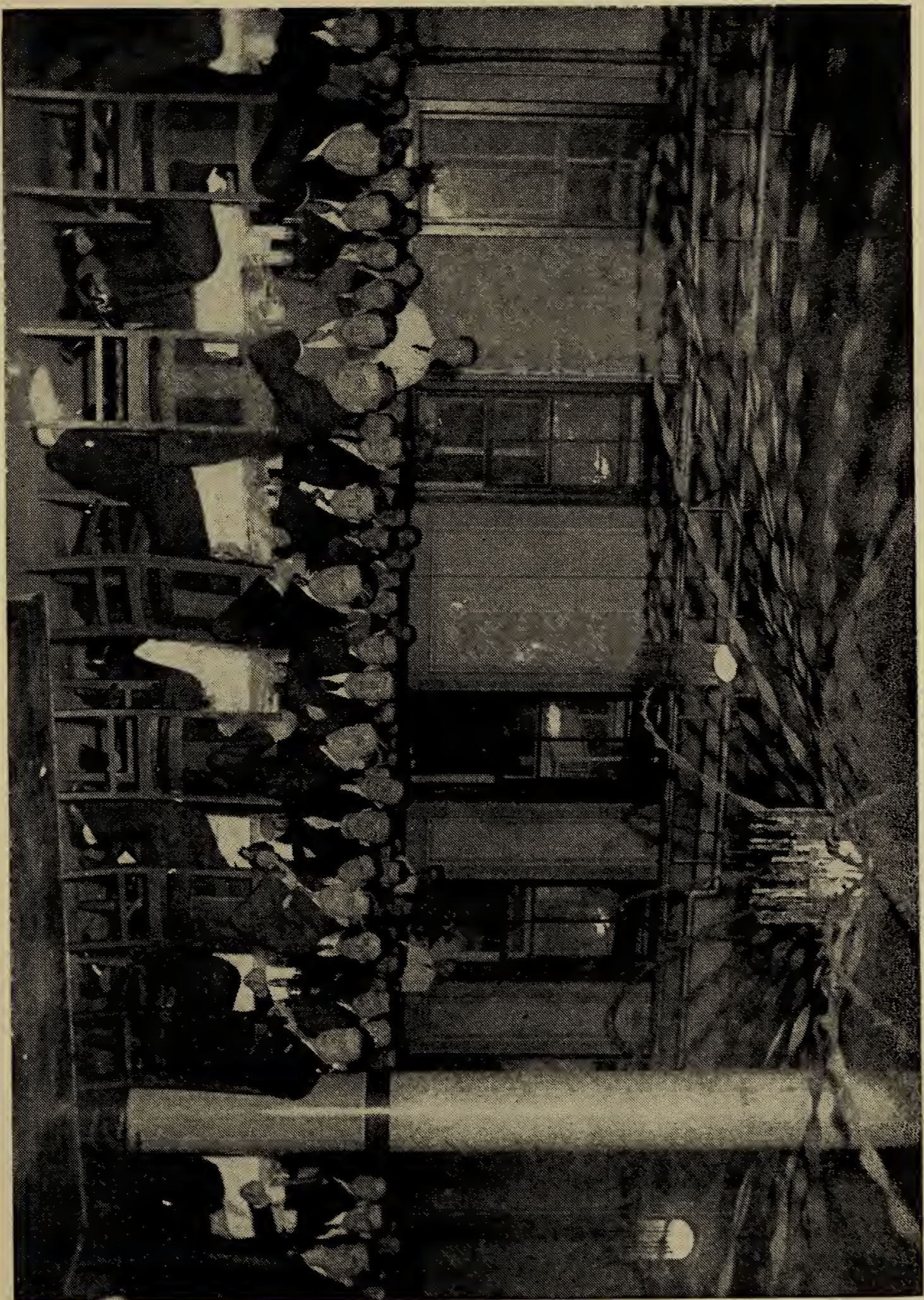
At almost all formal occasions one or the other of these musical aggregations is prominent on the program, while the band is always an active supporter of the varsity in football and basketball games.



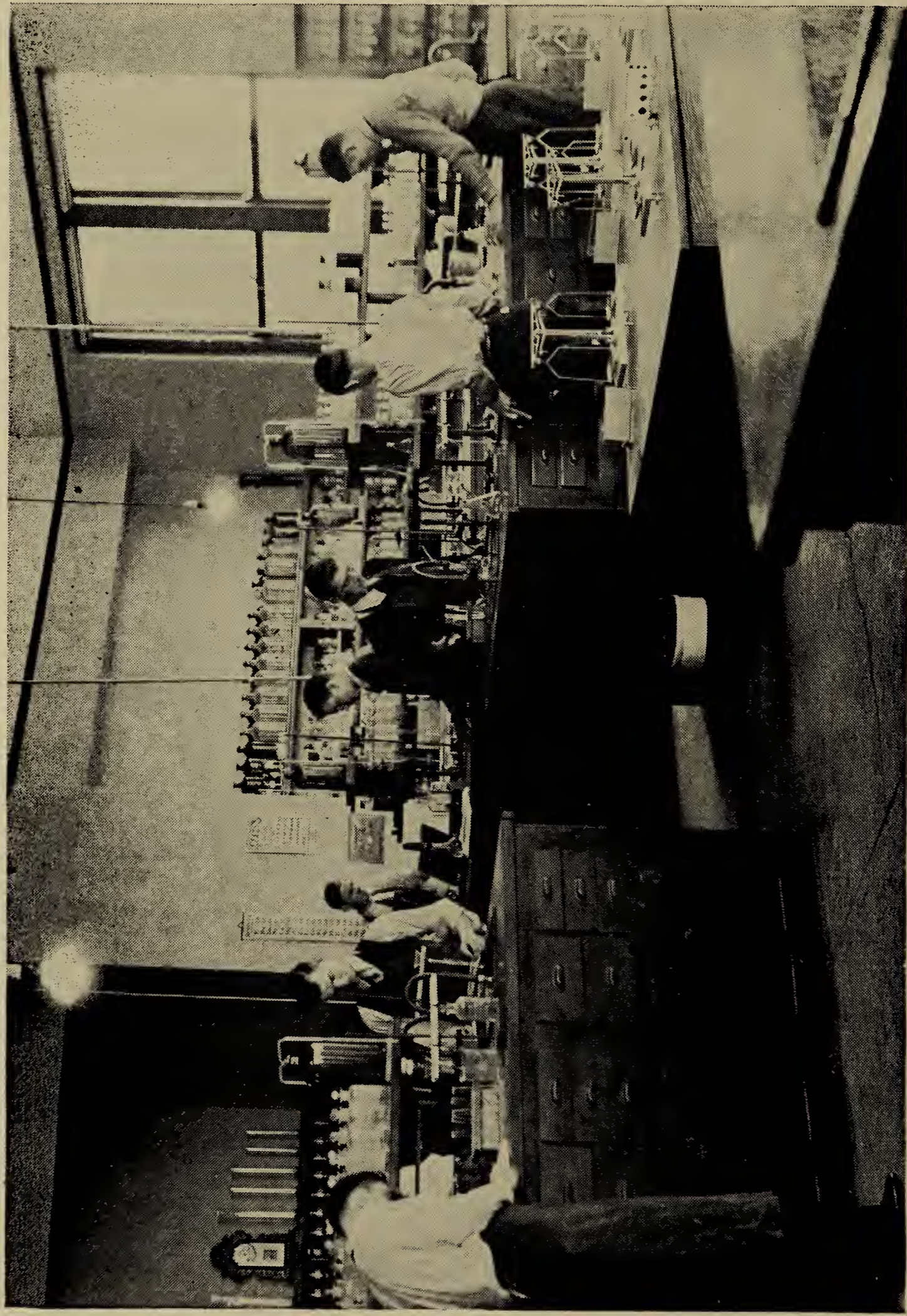


MORE variable in membership and less formal in repertoire are *The Vagabonds* and *The Raleigh Club Orchestra*. These and other volunteer groups add to the merriment at class meets, club programs, and more important social events, such as the annual Junior-Senior banquet and the Senior Night program in which the graduating class entertains the rest of Collegeville.

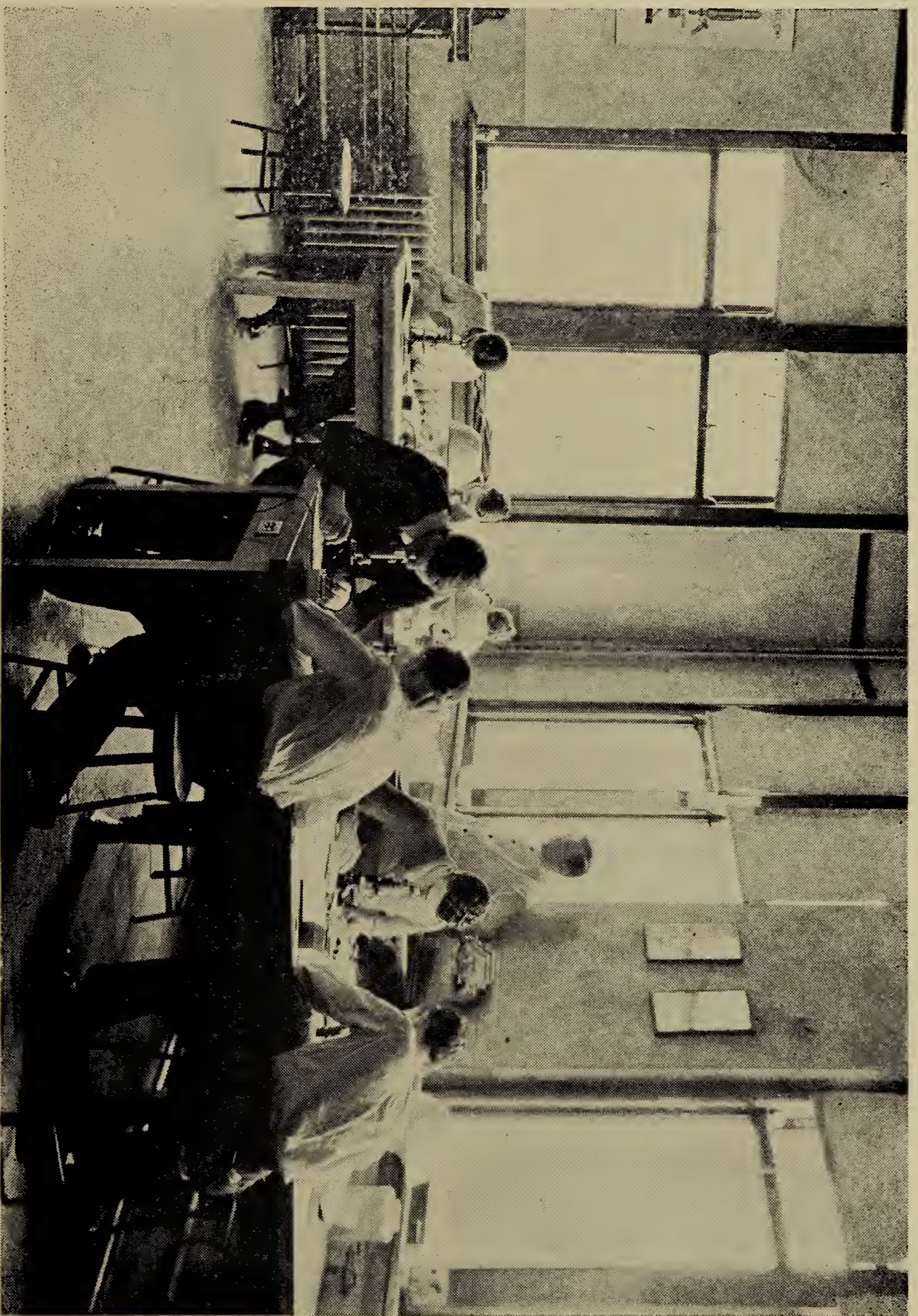




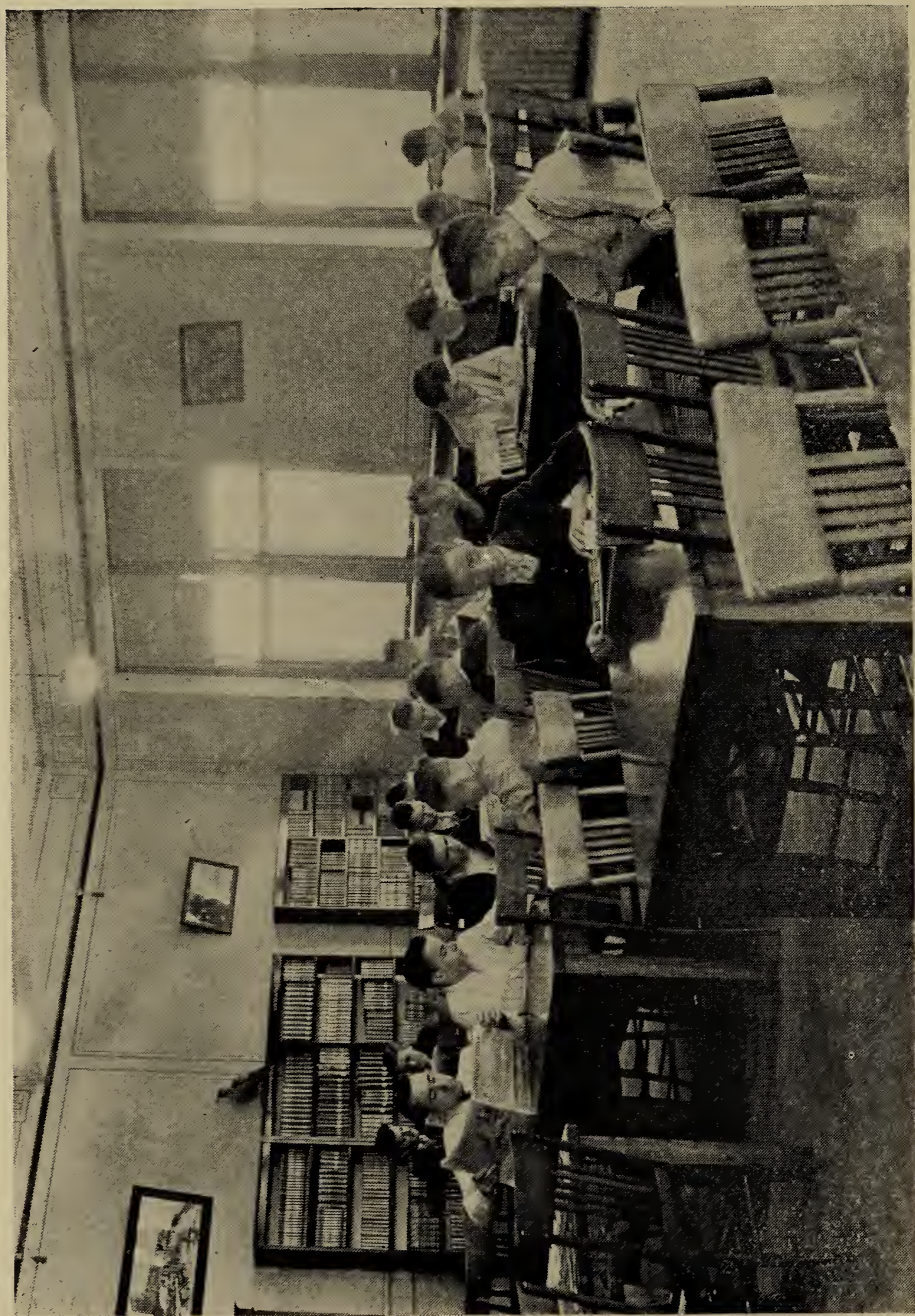
WHERE THE SAUCE TO MEET IS CEREMONY — THE JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET.



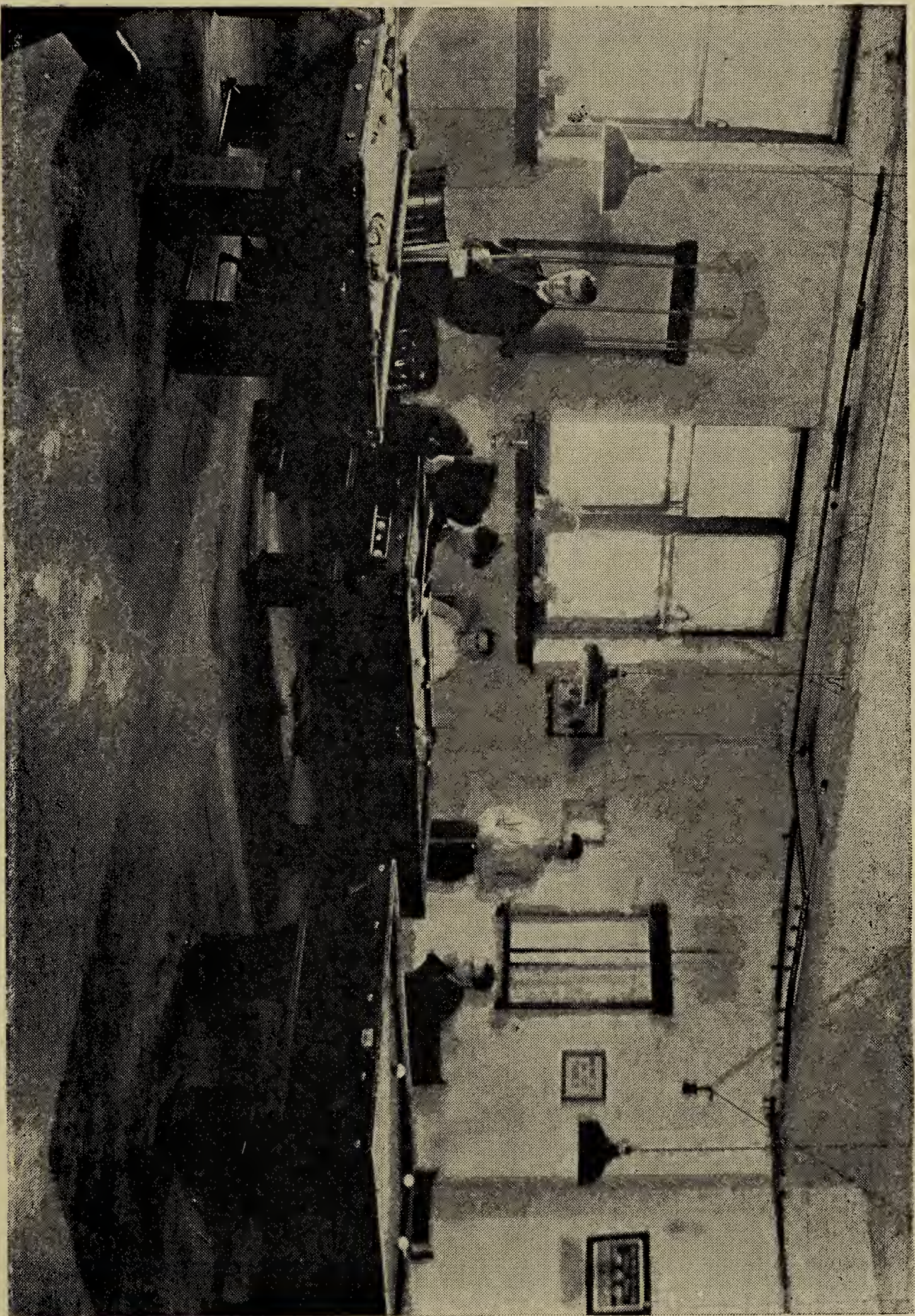
THROUGH EXPERIMENTATION NEW KNOWLEDGE COMES TO MEN.



THROUGH THE MICROSCOPE NEW WONDERS MEET THE EYE.



THE READING ROOM IS A COZY PLACE TO SPEND A QUIET HOUR.



TENSE MOMENTS IN THE RALEIGH BILLIARD ROOM.



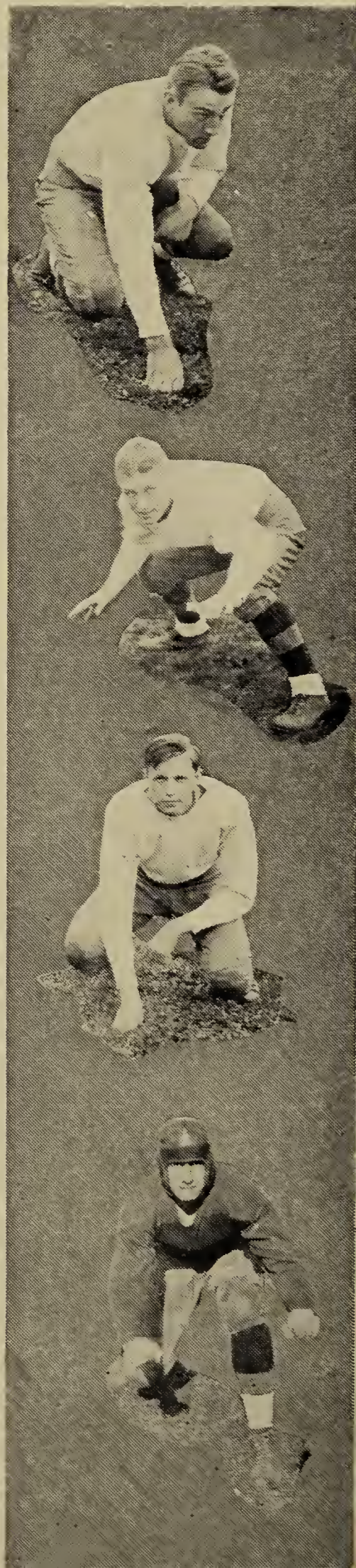
THE authorities at St. Joseph's do not believe that sports should be permitted to attain improper and undue importance to the detriment of scholastic ends. Yet the value of a well directed program of play is recognized and plentiful provision is made for activity in this department.

THE many acres of campus laid out in athletic fields make it possible for all students to engage in the various seasonal sports out in the healthful country air. Such active participation by all is encouraged as best realizing the true purposes of institutional athletics. In football, basketball, and baseball various class teams vie with one another in the several leagues, which are so arranged as to group students according to levels of ability.

THE varsity teams in the several sports, natural product of intramural competition, carry the school's colors to other places. Regular schedules are maintained in the three major sports, and St. Joseph's teams have in the past acquitted themselves well and honorably even against the superior odds brought by four-year colleges.



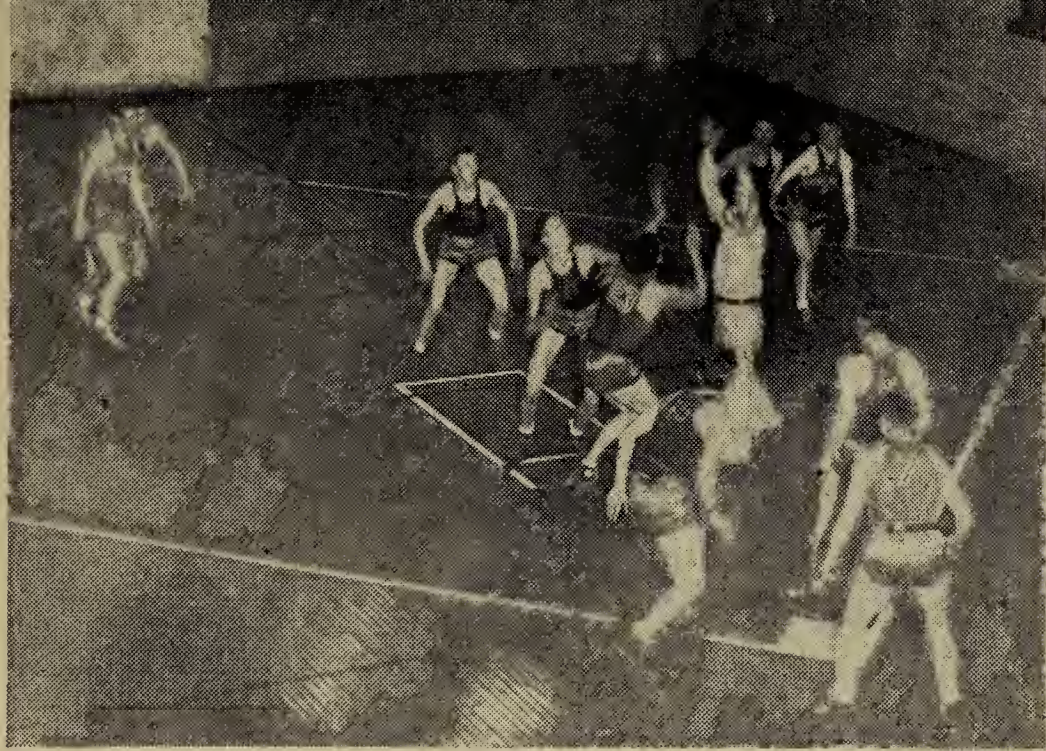
IN
STRENUOUS
PLAY
THE BODY
GROWS STRONG.





In basketball St. Joseph's is represented in extramural competition by two teams, "The Cardinals" of the college and "The Junior Cardinals" of the high school. Both have won laurels abroad and at home.





THE
BASKETBALL
GOES 'ROUND
AND 'ROUND.





BASEBALL may have lost caste in some schools of recent years, but at St. Joseph's it still flourishes. Each year brings contestants for positions on the team, for in this sport, too, the College has its varsity.

MANY sharply fought battles take place in the soft ball league among the classes of both high school and college. Indeed, here as elsewhere, the faster moving soft ball game has to some extent gained greater popularity than the older form.





THE
NATIONAL GAME
FINDS
LOCAL FAVOR.





THE GYMNASIUM BUILDING



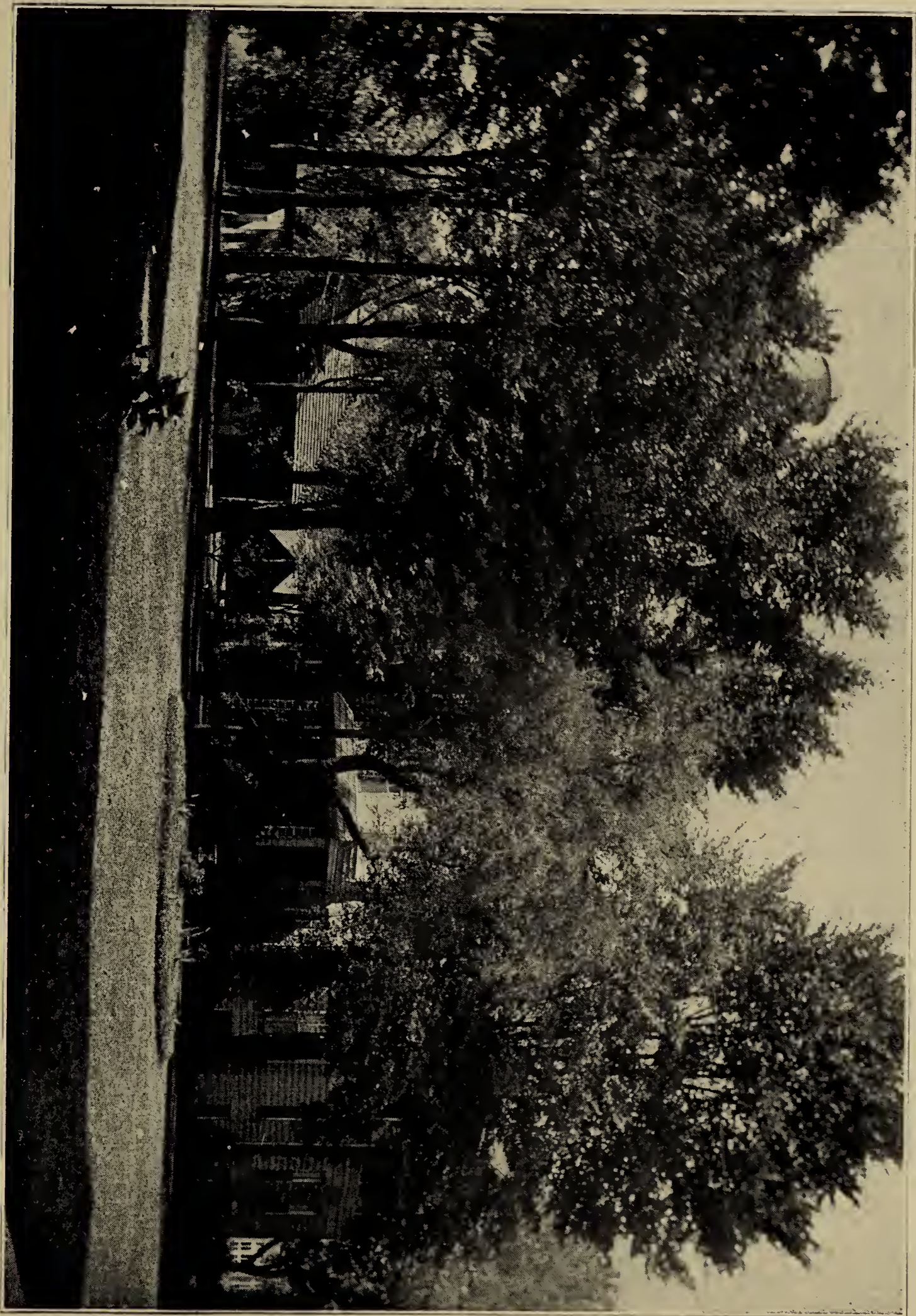
ONE OF THE ATHLETIC FIELDS



ON St. Joseph's excellent hardwood basketball floor are staged many stirring and valiant battles, while partisans of the opposing teams look on and cheer from the bleachers at the side or the balcony which runs around three sides of the floor.

TENNIS also has its many fans, who are amply provided for by the six clay courts on the north campus.

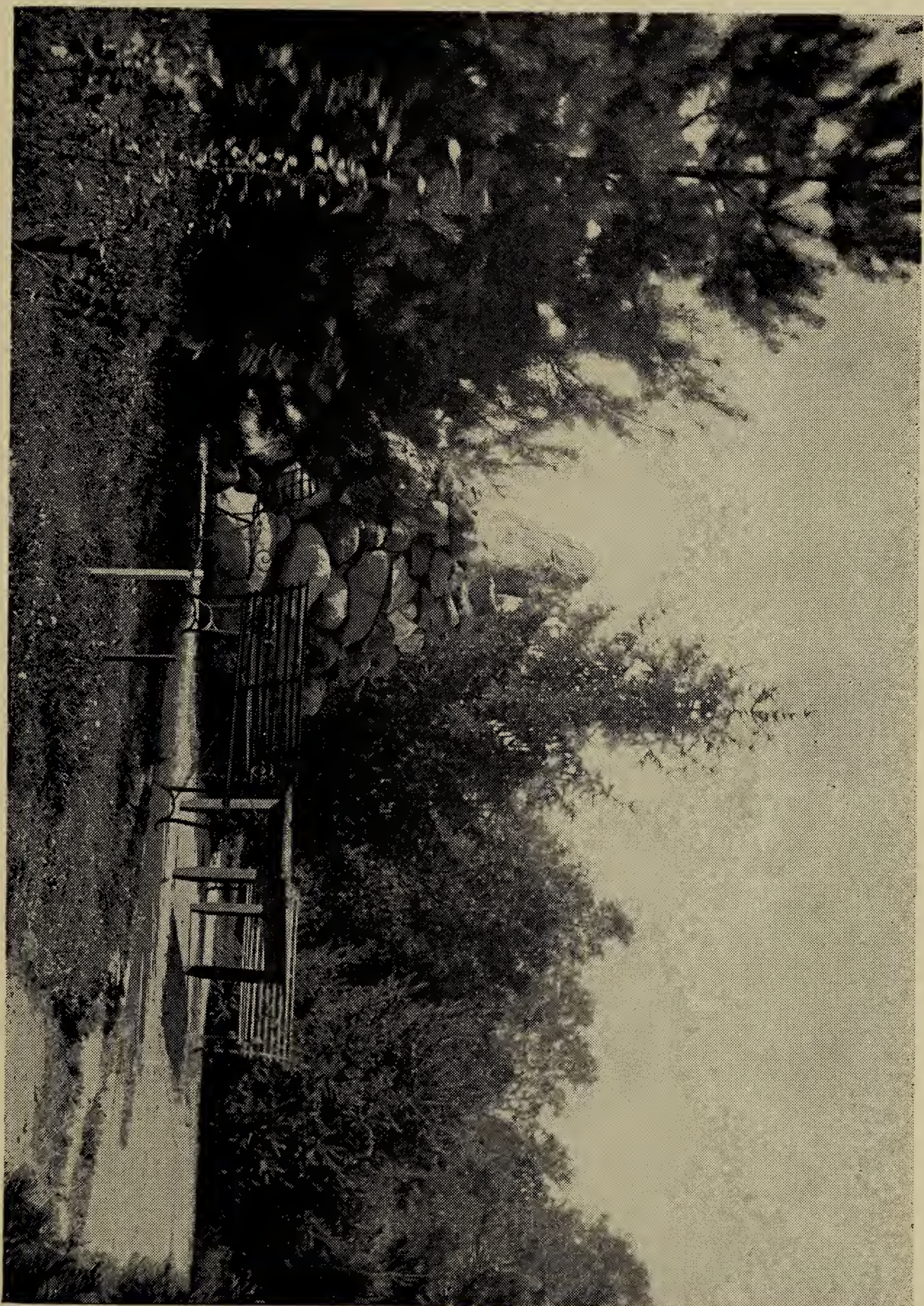




THE LAWN IN FRONT OF THE INFIRMARY



HERE IN THE SPRING ARE GIVEN SUNDAY EVENING CONCERTS.



A SECLUDED SPOT AMONG THE EVERGREENS



ST. JOSEPH'S HAS A WELL EQUIPPED POWER HOUSE.



RECOLLECTION VISTA — COME AGAIN.

